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HIGH COURT OF CHHATTISGARH AT BILASPUR

S.B. : HON'BLE SHRI SATISH K. AGNIHOTRI, J.

WRIT PETITION (S) No. 1987 of 2007

PETITIONER : Smt. Phool Bai Wife of Shri Jai Kumar, aged about 19 years, Resident of Village Balsedi (Mahadevpara), Post Kalyanpur, Tahsil Ambikapur, District Surguja (C.G.)

VERSUS

RESPONDENTS :

1. State of Chhattisgarh, Through: The Secretary, Department of Women and Child Development, D.K.S. Bhawan, Raipur (C.G.)
2. The Collector, Ambikapur, District Surguja (C.G.)
3. The District Programme Officer, Woman and Child Development Ambikapur, District Surguja (C.G.).
4. The Chief Executive Officer, Janpad Panchayat Ambikapur District Surguja (C.G.)
5. Gram Panchayat Through: The Sapanch, Village Panchayat Khaliba, Janpad Panchayat Ambikapur, District Surguja (C.G.).
6. Smt. Chameli Bai Wife of Shri Paleshwar, aged about 22 years, Resident of Village Manjhipara, Post Kalyanpur, Janpad Panchayat Ambikapur District Surguja (C.G.)

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Present: Shri V.K.Pandey, Advocate for the petitioner.
Shri Arvind Dubey, Panel Lawyer for the State/ respondents 1 to 3.

ORDER

(Passed on 3rd of April, 2007)

1. Learned counsel appearing for the petitioner submits that the appointment of respondent no. 6 as Angan Badi worker is contrary to the provisions of Angan Badi Scheme. The petitioner has preferential right of appointment over the respondent no. 6 on the ground that the petitioner is having experience of working as Angan Badi Sah-Sahayika. Learned counsel further submits that the mother-in-law of the respondent no. 6 is also an elected Panch. It is further contended that the representation of the petitioner, dated 14.02.2007 (Annexure P/7), is pending consideration before the Collector, Surguja (Ambikapur).

2. Be that as it may, the Collector Surguja (Ambikapur) is directed to look into the allegations made by the petitioner as contained in her representation, Annexure P/7 and pass appropriate order after affording opportunity of hearing to the parties in accordance with law and as per Angan Badi scheme, within a period of four weeks from the date of receipt of this order.

3. In view of the above, this petition stands disposed of. No order as to costs.

Sd/-
Satish K. Agnihotri
Judge

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